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NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION ADVISORY COMMITTEE ON REACTOR SAFEGUARDS

Notice of Meeting

In accordance with the purposes of Sections 29 and 182b of the Atomic Energy Act (42 U.S.C. 2039, 2232b), the Advisory Committee on Reactor Safeguards (ACRS) will hold a meeting on October 4-5, 2012, 11545 Rockville Pike, Rockville, Maryland.

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 4, 2012, CONFERENCE ROOM T2-B1, 11545 ROCKVILLE PIKE, ROCKVILLE, MARYLAND

8:30 A.M. – 8:35 A.M.: Opening Remarks by the ACRS Chairman (Open) - The ACRS
Chairman will make opening remarks regarding the conduct of the meeting.

8:35 A.M. – 10:00 A.M.: Proposed Changes to the NRC's Regulations for Protection
Against Radiation to Conform with International Commission on Radiological Protection (ICRP)
Recommendations (Open) - The Committee will hear presentations by and hold discussions
with representatives of the NRC staff regarding the proposed modifications to NRC's
standards for protection against radiation in order to conform to current ICRP recommendations.

10:15 A.M. – 12:15 P.M.: Safety Evaluation Report (SER) Associated with WCAP-16793-NP.,
Revision 2, "Evaluation of Long-Term Cooling Considering Particulate, Fibrous and Chemical
Debris in the Recirculating Fluid," and the Status of the Resolution of Generic Safety Issue
(GSI) 191, "Assessment of Debris Accumulation on PWR Sump Performance" (Open/Closed) –
The Committee will hear presentations by and hold discussions with representatives of the NRC
staff regarding the SER associated with WCAP-16793-NP, Revision 2, and the status of the
resolution of GSI-191. [NOTE: A portion of this session may be closed in order to discuss
and protect information designated as proprietary, pursuant to 5 U.S.C 552b(c)(4)]

1:15 P.M. – 2:15 P.M.: Reactor Pressure Vessel Fabrication and Flaw Assessment (Closed) – The Committee will hear presentations by and hold discussions with representatives of the NRC

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staff regarding issues related to reactor pressure vessel fabrication and flaw assessment.

2:15 P.M. – 3:15 P.M.: Assessment of the Quality of Selected NRC Research Projects (Open) - The Committee will hold discussions with members of the ACRS panels performing the quality assessment of the following NRC research projects: (1) NUREG-1953, "Confirmatory Thermal-Hydraulic Analysis to Support Specific Success Criteria in the Standardized Plant Analysis Risk Models-Surry and Peach Bottom," and (2) NUREG/CR-7040, "Evaluation of JNES Equipment Fragility Tests for Use in Seismic Probabilistic Risk Assessments for U.S. Nuclear Power Plants."

3:30 P.M. – 7:00 P.M.: Preparation of ACRS Reports (Open/Closed) - The Committee will discuss proposed ACRS reports on matters discussed during this meeting.

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FRIDAY, OCTOBER 5, 2012, CONFERENCE ROOM T2-B1, 11545 ROCKVILLE PIKE, ROCKVILLE, MARYLAND

8:30 A.M. – 8:35 A.M.: Opening Remarks by the ACRS Chairman (Open) - The ACRS Chairman will make opening remarks regarding the conduct of the meeting.

8:35 A.M. – 10:00 A.M.: Future ACRS Activities/Report of the Planning and Procedures

Subcommittee (Open/Closed) - The Committee will discuss the recommendations of the

Planning and Procedures Subcommittee regarding items proposed for consideration by the Full

Committee during future ACRS Meetings, and matters related to the conduct of ACRS business, including anticipated workload and member assignments. [NOTE: A portion of this meeting

may be closed pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 552b (c) (2) and (6) to discuss organizational and personnel matters that relate solely to internal personnel rules and practices of ACRS, and information the release of which would constitute a clearly unwarranted invasion of personal privacy.]

<u>10:00 A.M. – 10:15 A.M.: Reconciliation of ACRS Comments and Recommendations</u> (Open) - The Committee will discuss the responses from the NRC Executive Director for Operations to comments and recommendations included in recent ACRS reports and letters.

10:30 A.M. – 7:00 P.M.: Preparation of ACRS Reports (Open/Closed) - The Committee will discuss proposed ACRS reports on matters discussed during this meeting. [NOTE: A portion of this session may be closed in order to discuss and protect information designated as proprietary, pursuant to 5 U.S.C 552b(c)(4)]

Procedures for the conduct of and participation in ACRS meetings were published in the *Federal Register* on October 17, 2011, (76 FR 64126-64127). In accordance with those procedures, oral or written views may be presented by members of the public, including representatives of the nuclear industry. Persons desiring to make oral statements should notify Antonio Dias, Cognizant ACRS Staff (Telephone: 301-415-6805, E-mail:

Antonio.Dias@nrc.gov), five days before the meeting, if possible, so that appropriate arrangements can be made to allow necessary time during the meeting for such statements. In view of the possibility that the schedule for ACRS meetings may be adjusted by the Chairman as necessary to facilitate the conduct of the meeting, persons planning to attend should check with the Cognizant ACRS staff if such rescheduling would result in major inconvenience.

Thirty-five hard copies of each presentation or handout should be provided 30 minutes before the meeting. In addition, one electronic copy of each presentation should be emailed to

the Cognizant ACRS Staff one day before meeting. If an electronic copy cannot be provided within this timeframe, presenters should provide the Cognizant ACRS Staff with a CD containing each presentation at least 30 minutes before the meeting.

In accordance with Subsection 10(d) Public Law 92–463, and 5 U.S.C. 552b(c), certain portions of this meeting may be closed, as specifically noted above. Use of still, motion picture, and television cameras during the meeting may be limited to selected portions of the meeting as determined by the Chairman. Electronic recordings will be permitted only during the open portions of the meeting.

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If attending this meeting please enter through the One White Flint North building, 11555 Rockville Pike, Rockville, MD. After registering with security please contact Mr. Theron Brown (240) 888-9835 to be escorted to the meeting room.

Date_	September 14, 2012	/RA/	
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